


AMENDMENT 	Application #	09/622,199
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	First Inventor	SCHWARTZ
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	Examiner	Seaman
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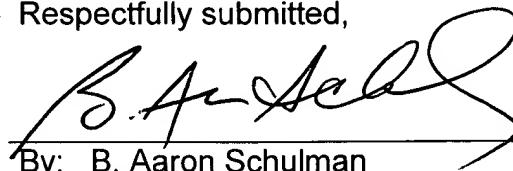
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In response to the Official Action dated September 9, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the replacement paragraph provided herewith in **Attachment A**.
- **Remarks** are provided herewith in **Attachment B**.
- **Copies of references** as discussed in the Remarks are also enclosed.

As reflected in the attached Remarks, allowance of the present application as amended is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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